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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as indicated herein.

1. (Currently amended) A method of augmenting a set of image recordings taken using user-portable equipment provided with camera functionality, said method comprising:
recording, in response to an activation of said user-portable equipment by a user and in association with taking an image recording of said set using a camera, first data indicative of a geographic location of said user-portable equipment camera;
recording, in response to a further activation of said user-portable equipment by said user and separately from taking ~~an~~ said image recording using said user-portable equipment, second data indicative of a geographic location of said user-portable equipment camera; and
subsequently augmenting said set by using said second data to retrieve, from a resource separate from said user-portable equipment camera, an image recording concerning said geographic location indicated by said second data.
2. (Currently amended) A method camera according to claim 1, wherein both said first data and said second data are recorded in a recording arrangement that is separate from said user-portable equipment camera.
3. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 2, wherein said first data and said second data are recorded in a same sequence of data items.
4. (Currently amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein said first data and said second data are recorded in said user-portable equipment camera.
5. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 4, wherein said first data and said second data are recorded in a same sequence of data items.
6. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said retrieving comprises retrieving multiple image recordings, displaying said multiple image recordings, and enabling a user to choose at least one of said multiple image recordings for retention and association with said set of image recordings.

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7. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said retrieving comprises displaying a map of an area around said geographic location indicated by the second data and obtaining an input detailing a target subject, zone or point, and using said input to facilitate said retrieving.

8. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein subsequent to taking said set of image recordings, a map display shows locations where image recordings of said set were taken, wherein prior to said retrieving, and item is represented on said map display, and wherein said item corresponds to said geographic location indicated by said second data.

9. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 8, wherein when said map display is present, retrieval of an image recording corresponding to said item is initiated by clicking on a displayed graphic element associated with a displayed location corresponding to said item.

10. (Previously presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said retrieving comprises contacting an Internet service system operative to provide image recordings to registered users on the basis of location data supplied in a service request.

11. (Currently amended) A method, comprising:

recording a first image using camera functionality of a portable device, the first image being recorded in response to an activation of said portable device;
recording, in response to a further activation of said portable device but separately from taking an image recording using said portable device, data indicative of a geographic location of a mobile said portable device, said data being so recorded as to indicate an association with said first image; and
retrieving, based on said data, from a resource other than said portable mobile device, an second image concerning said geographic location.

12. (Currently amended) The method of claim 11, wherein said portable mobile device comprises a camera.